

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph, beginning with “Figure 1 shows” at pg. 3 of the originally filed specification, with the following amended paragraph:

--Figure 1 shows a feed unit according to the invention for delivering fuel in a motor vehicle. The feed unit has a feed pump 2 driven by an electric motor 1 and having a driven impeller 3. The electric motor 1 has a rotor 4 and a stator 5. The rotor 4 is rotatably supported in a pump casing 6 and in a connecting piece 7 and is connected to the impeller 3. The electric motor 1 has a motor casing 9 enclosing a stator ring 8. Generally two magnet shells 10 are arranged on the inside of the stator ring 8. These magnet shells 10 induce a magnetic flux in the rotor 4. The stator ring 8 closes the magnetic flux of the magnet shells 10. The connecting piece 7 has a connection 11 for a fuel line (not shown). Terminal contacts 12 for the electric motor 1 are furthermore arranged on the connection piece 7. The feed pump 2 delivers fuel from an inlet duct 14 arranged in a casing part 13 via an outlet duct 15 arranged in the end plate of the pump casing 6, through the electric motor 1 to the connection piece 7. The end plate of the pump casing 6 and the casing part 13 are secured to one another at a distance by means of a spacer 16. The spacer 16 is slightly greater in height than the impeller 3. The fuel flows are clearly marked by arrows. Segmental ducts 17 of the feed pump 2, in the form of a side channel pump, and a bearing 18 for the rotor 4 are arranged in the end plate of the pump casing 6. The representation of the components in FIG. 1 is only intended to illustrate their function in the feed unit.--